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Continuation Sheet (PTOL-303)

Continuation of 5. does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because: the argument that the Kelley reference does not disclose cooling the hydrotreated effluent subsequent to contacting the feed stock with hydrogen for hydrotreating and obtaining a hydrotreated effluent and before contacting the cooled hydrotreated effluent with a hydrotreating catalyst at conditions being effective for conversion of polyaromatic hydrocarbons to monoaromatic compounds is not persuasive. It is clear that Kelley discloses that the process can be operated without intervening cooling, condensation, or separation of ammonia and hydrogen sulfide. See column 4, lines 26-30. However, Kelley also discloses that an intervening treatment of the hydrofiner effluent can be performed to remove ammonia and hydrogen sulfide. See column 6, lines 25-36. One of ordinary skill in the art reading these two sections would realize that an intervening cooling step can be applied. Additionally, the disclosure that the hydrocracker can be operated at substantially reduced temperatures indicates that cooling can be performed. The examiner asserts that the teaching in column 6, lines 25-36 combines the disclosed intervening treatment with the operation of the hydrocracker at reduced temperatures since Kelley uses the expression "in this case". This would mean that, with an intervening treatment (i.e., cooling), the hydrocracker is operated at reduced temperatures.